

PRAYER GUIDE

WEEK OF MAY 8 – 14

PRAYER GUIDE: ROMANS 11:33-36 (ESV)

³³ Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!

³⁴ “For who has known the mind of the Lord,
or who has been his counselor?”

³⁵ “Or who has given a gift to him
that he might be repaid?”

³⁶ For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be glory forever. Amen.

REVERENCE

God's Praiseworthy Attributes

- You are all wise. No one gives You counsel!
- You have perfect knowledge of all things.
- Your judgments are always righteous and just!
- You alone possess absolute power and absolute knowledge.
- Lord, You are faithful at all times for all eternity.
- No one can know Your mind totally!
- You are all sufficient and need nothing from anyone.
- Everything comes from You and You direct all things.
- You sovereignly reign over all the universe.
- You are the Sustainer of the universe, the source and fountain of all our blessings.
- You are the Alpha, the beginning, the source of everything, and the Omega, our hope of things to come.

REVERENCE

- All knowing God, I am in wonder of Your glorious wisdom.
- I praise You that I need only ask for wisdom and You will give it to me.
- Holy Spirit, You are my wonderful counselor,
- You alone know the plans You have for me and they are always for my good.
- Your plans for my life are perfect and I delight in them.
- Thank You that by faith I am a new creation in Christ - reconciled back to God, forgiven of my sins and given eternal life.
- Thank You that in Christ I will live with You forever
- I thank You for Your extravagant generosity to me.
- I am in awe of the beauty and bounty that surrounds me.

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POSSIBLE PRAYER PROMPTS:

RESPONSE

- I confess that too many times I put trust in my plans without seeking Your direction for my life.
- Forgive me for putting my hope in man's wisdom instead of Yours especially when it comes to _____.
- I confess that I try to earn Your blessings when I _____ instead of delighting in Your grace.
- Lord forgive me for questioning and/or doubting Your ways regarding _____.
Forgive me for resisting You when I _____.

REQUESTS

- Please help _____ trust You are sovereign over _____.
- Lord, please give wisdom to _____ as they decide what to do about _____.
- Help _____ make wise, God-honoring decisions.
- Please cause _____ to stop trusting in their own works for salvation instead of trusting in Christ alone.
- Help _____ realize that You are with them in their struggle with _____.

READINESS

- Today help me make a wise decision regarding _____.
- Cause me to walk by faith in the center of Your will today.
- Give me discernment when I speak to _____ about _____.
- Allow me to give wise counsel to _____.
- Please give me an opportunity to proclaim Your goodness and greatness to _____.

May Monthly Prayer Focus: 31-Day Plan to Pray Through Romans

POSSIBLE PRAYER POINTS:

- Meditate on the awesome fact that we, as sinners, can have peace with God through Jesus Christ. (Romans 5:1-11)
- Ask God to help you live in truth: Your soul is dead to sin, raised to new life in Jesus Christ. Ask for strength to turn from sin and live wrapped completely in His grace. (Romans 6:1-14)
- Praise the Lord that there is now no condemnation for you who are in Jesus Christ. You have been set from the law of sin and death (Romans 8:1-17)